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Curb-Stone Temperance Lecture.

[From a Philadelphia Paper.]

A few evenings since, we stopped to listen to an eccentric individual who had found a seat upon the pavement, and was endeavoring to define his position to an enthusiastic congregation of bystanders.

"Gentlemen and taxpayers," said he, "you now behold afore you a poor forlorn individual, who unexpectedly finds himself destitute of circumstances, and in a foreign land. My situation at this time gen'lemen, is, as you perceive, a peculiar and striking one, inasmuch as I was brought to my present low degree by a wanton and unprovoked blow from something, whom it were base flattery to call a snoozer."

"Why don't you get up and go home?" said a bystander.

"That is a verry sensible and happy suggestion—but to come to the practical part of it, I ain't got any home."

"Where did you come from?"

"Nowhere in particklier."

"What are you doing here?"

"Captivated by the beauty of the evening, gen'lomen, I issued forth from my romantic dwelling on the banks of the Susquehanner, and was taking some lunar observations by the light of this 'ere friendly lamp post, yon, as I said afore, I was wantonly assulted in the rear by some unknown enemy, and thus brought to my present critical situation. If I have offended any of you gen'lomen, I axes your pardon; if you have offended me, speak I charge ye, or forever after hold your peace."

"You seem to be a man of parts—what is your name?"

"Name did you say? My name is William, and on the Wochuwken hills my grandpa feeds his roosters—silence youngsters!—don't interrupt this meeting—I has the floor."

"The sidewalk you mean, old covey."

"Officer, take this 'ere boy out—he's disturbing the congregation, endangering the peace of the neighborhood—take him out I say."

At this junctore an azure-coated guardian of the law came along who dismissed the congregation with a malediction. Backing a hand cart up to the curb stone, he loaded the orator into it and trundled him towards the station house, his late audience following at a respectful distance.

The Sergeant at the station house came from behind the desk, and knelt over the prostrate Demosthenes and smelled his breath.

"Bucket-shop!" he exclaimed, "Lock him up!"

Apologies and Prolite Conversation.

The London *Saturday Review* says:

The present age may congratulate itself that apologies are no longer the necessity of polite conversation which they once were. If people now are profuse in them, it is because they fit something in their own nature; nobody exacts them. How men lived through the elaborate verbiage of disparagement which seems to have accompanied every social ceremonial in the last century may puzzle us, only they were England dried forms which did duty on both sides, and spared harassed invention. If the lady must flout her own good fare and careful providing as an invincible part of her welcome—as the respect due to her guest—

And, Captain, you'll do us the favor to stay
And take a short dinner here with us to-day;
You're heartily welcome, but for good cheer,
You come in the very worst time of the year;
If I had expected so worthy a guest—

the guest on his side, as another writer reminds us, has flatteries at hand, and knows how to reply in such reassurances as—

And, madam, quoth he, may this fat be my poison,
If I am not sorry I see you at home.

In the formal letter writing period apologizing found its natural and least objectionable home. The apology that may be skipped or be laughed over in privacy of the study or the unrestraint of the breakfast table is no grievance to the receiver, and scarcely as demoralizing to the indifer. Gray, who amused himself with the humors of his own day, touches upon this. An apology being the conventional proface to a letter, he asked his friend, to whom he has been accounting, for his silence, "If you will not take this as an excuse, accept it at least for a well-turned period, which is always my principal concern." For, in fact, the opening apology was the test of the writer's parts and qualifications. To illustrate this he favors his friend with the beginning of a letter which some unhappy man had dropped "or I should rather call it first thoughts for the beginning of a letter, for there are many scratches and corrections:"

Dear sir (it runs,) after so long a silence, the hope of pardon and prospect of forgiveness might seem entirely extinct, or at least very remote, were I not truly sensible of your goodness and candor, which is the only asylum my negligence can fly to, since any apology would prove insufficient to counterbalance it, or alleviate my fault. How, then, shall my deficiency presume, etc.

It should be a rule to make no apologies which cost us nothing; they are more selfish indulgences. It is much easier for the listener to behave properly under the confession of a genuine shame and sense of misconduct than under the smug inflictions we complain of. Somebody ought to be uncomfortable under any apology that is worth the name, and common justice shows that the sufferer should not be the recipient of excuses. These are few persons to whom the question can be indifferent, for few of us are absolutely guiltless toward our less attractive acquaintance of making a string of civil artificial words do the duty of self-sacrifice.

A "History of the Underground Railroad" is about to be published. Such a book will will not be complete unless it devotes a chapter to our old friend Wm. Rich, who for so many years was the agent of the railroad company in this city. William ticketed a great many persons over the route to Canada, and disbursed thousands of dollars in getting rid of the fugitives who had escaped from the South. The book also ought to make note of the help rendered to the cause by a prominent and wealthy Democrat of this city. Whenever Mr. Rich had a new arrival and was short of funds, he was sure to call upon his Democratic friend. Entering his counting room, Mr. Rich would stand without saying a word until the old gentleman was ready to wait upon him. "Well, William, what's the matter now, sir?" was the inquiry of the Democrat. "I am sprry to say, sir," William would answer, "I have another load of fugitives on my hands." "Don't you know, William, that it is against the constitution and the law for you to be spiriting slaves off to Canada in this way. These slaves must be sent back to their masters." Here's $10 to help send them back." William would depart with the money, and the slaves would depart for Canada.—*Troy (N. Y.) Times.*

Of the thirty-six Mexican Federal officers who revolted against Juarez at Guaymas, seven had formerly been condemned to death for treason to the Supreme Government, but Don Benito, as President of the Republic, in his clemency and mercy revoked their sentences. Gratitude does not appear to be a trait of character in regular army officers in Mexico. Of the two hundred and ninety-eight soldiers commanded by the Guaymas revolutionists, more than fifty saw service under the banner of Maximilian. Such is patriotism in unhappy Mexico.

On a ten dollar bill recently received by a New England bank was written: "This is the last of $10,000 left me by a fond and devoted father—all spent in liquor and other dissipation." The old, old story.

PICKINGS.

The New York *Tribune* has quit telling people "you lie, you villain, you lie," and now accuses them of "using the truth with penurious frugality."

A lofty Arabian, with an elevation of eight feet on a foundation of two, and having a total weight of five hundred pounds, has been traveling between New York and Boston.

A gentleman rode up to a public house in the country and asked, "Who is the master of this house?" "I am, sir," replied the landlord; "my wife has been dead about three weeks."

A Louisville boy amuses himself by shooting pins into people's hands with a little machine of his own invention. Another is the happy possessor of an India-rubber sling, with which he can throw a stone fifty yards with precision and a velocity sufficient to kill a man. Ah, the innocent sports of childhood.

A polite old gentleman of Oswego wears a wig. One windy morning he was unlucky enough to express the wish that his hat was stuck to his head, in the hearing of a mischievous nephew. The nephew took the hint and manœuvred the old gentleman's hat. Old gentleman went down the street; met a handsome young lady acquaintance, in whose opinion he would stand well; politely attempted to lift his hat. Consequence: hatter imagined than described.

An autograph collector, knowing the lively antipathy of Oliver Wendell Holmes to creatures of his class, and wishing to capture a specimen of the metaphysician's chirography, adopted the heartless subterfuge of asking by letter, "Which do you think the best dictionary, Webster's or Worcester's?" a question which he believed Holmes' courtesy would compel him to answer. The return mail brought a single sheet of note paper, on which was neatly pasted the one word clipped from the writer's own letter, "Webster's."

Ben Johnson, hearing that Lord Craven was anxious to see him, went to his lordship's house. Being in a tattered condition, the porter refused to admit the poet, and addressed him in impertinent language, which Ben. did not fail to return. While they were wrangling Lord Craven came out and desired to know the cause of the quarrel. Johnson immediately said, "Your Lordship wishes to see me?" "You, friend," replied the lord, "who are you?" "I am, Johnson." "No, no, you cannot be Ben Johnson, who wrote the 'Silent Woman.' You look as if you could not say boah to a jackass!" "Bosh!" exclaimed Ben promptly. "Very well," said his lordship, better pleased at the joke than offended at the affront, "I am now convinced of your identity."

The Northern Pacific Lands.

[From the Philadelphia Press.]

Capital, the economists tell us, is the accumulations of labor. Now, the labor of nature is something infinitely greater, richer, and more exhaustless than the labor of man. It is labor which never strikes and never tires. It began in the countless unknown ages before man was, and, without a moment's rest or intermission, has been steadily, silently, toiling with the years and ages, laying up its treasures on the rocks and mines, forests and plains of the earth. It is represented by coal and iron, and gold and silver, and rich soils and hardy timber, and all the raw material or vast facilities which every new country offers to the first settler.

Now, this vast fund in our great unknown West, whose value none can tell—lying there from the ages—this untouched treasury, greater than the nation's or its debt, is the ultimate and real security of the Pacific Railway enterprises. Not any more Government largess, but the wealth and resources of a virgin continent is their foundation. Even the dullest man can see that it pays to sink a shaft in a coal mine or a well in an oil pocket, and that even if shaft and well are expensive, they are good investments. A Pacific Railway is simply a continental shaft, which taps not merely one coal bed, but hundreds of them, forests with the wealth of centuries, plains pregnant with the wheat that shall feed whole nations, prairie and slope darkened with the cattle of a hundred hills, ores that will keep all the forges and foundries of the land for generations blazing, and water powers whose myriad wheels soon will be driving factories greater than those of Lowell or Birmingham or Philadelphia. Seen in this light, perhaps even the sagest rural capitalist who deems a five per cent. mortgage a rather venturesome investment may not be afraid of a Pacific Railway bond.

Fisk's Letters to Josie Mansfield.

[From the N. Y. Tribune, Nov. 29.]

The letters of Fisk, Jr., to Miss Mansfield will soon become public property, and evidence on which to prosecute the Erie ring for their many frauds—a prosecution which will be instituted just as soon as the changes in the Attorney-General's office is effected.

These letters are rich, not only in matter, but in style and orthography. Fisk, Jr., appears to have been familiar—in fact, altogether too familiar for decency's sake—with everybody and everything—Grand Dukes, Grand Duchesses, and *demi mondes* included—except the schoolmaster and spelling book. The following innocent epistle from the great collection written on office paper, will indicate the general style of the whole batch:

ERIE RAILWAY COMPANY.

JAY GOULD, Pres. JAMES FISK, JR., Treas.

Office of the Company, New York.

DEAR DOLLY.—To-night we play *Les Brigands*. It is too jolly. When you pass me at the gate last night without looking at me my heart was pirced. JAMES FISK, Jr.

CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY.—The Albany *Register* has this:

A gentleman from Chicago, Mr. Woodruff, for years largely engaged in that city in the manufacture of carriages, buggies, etc., has purchased property in Holladay's addition to the city of Albany, and is now engaged in erecting buildings thereon both for residence and shops. His intention is to enter largely into the manufacture of all kinds of wheeled vehicles, and having large experience and ample capital he will doubtless achieve a grand success. He will soon be followed by eight families from Chicago, painters, blacksmiths, etc., who will be employed in the factory. As dwellings are to be erected in the immediate vicinity of the factory for all the employes, next season will witness quite a little city in Holladay's addition. Thus will another industry be added to those already in our city, adding largely to its wealth and importance. Every branch of industry calculated to build up and increase our productive facilities should be carefully fostered by our citizens, and the parties interested in them should receive the kindest encouragement from every person interested in the growth and future development of Albany.

SHIP THAT.—After the capture of Mobile by Farragut's fleet the Secretary of the Navy wrote a letter of thanks to the Admiral. He was in the cabin when the dispatch came on board, and as his sight was not good he handed the letter to his private secretary to read. The Secretary read: "Sir: The Department has heard with great pleasure of the capture of Mobile by the fleet under your command, and I take the occasion to thank you in the name of the Government of which you are so noble a servant. Your name, Sir, will go down to posterity among"—"Stop, stop, sir! Stop all that flourish of trumpets! Skip all that, sir, and let us know what they want us to do next," said the noble old fellow.—*Grand Army Journal.*

OREGON.

A skating rink 60 by 80 feet will be erected at Eugene as soon as lumber can be obtained.

The *Bedrock Democrat* of the 5th has this lucid inquiry: "Does McCormick think of the people of Eastern Oregon? We should judge not; but if, so, therefore, why not?"

The road south from Eugene is in a worse condition at present than it has been for several years, and, naturally, staging is rather discouraging business. During the past week stages from the south have only put in an appearance every other day, and that is what is the matter with our mails.

A man at Albany whose wood pile has been suffering by the depredations of his neighbors, being about to go up north, gives the thieves notice that he hopes they will steal all they want before he starts, so that he can make arrangements to supply the deficiency thus created. This is a reasonable request, and the thieves ought unreasonable if they do not comply with it.

The Dallas *Republican* learns that the wife of Mr. W. Savage, living in the eastern part of Yamhill county, near Sheridan, deserted her family one day last week, and in company with a young man named Conner, for parts unknown. She was the mother of seven children, the youngest but six months old, all of whom she left behind. There is a rumor that she took about $5,000 of her husband's money and other valuables. This is an elopement extraordinary.

THE TERRITORIES.

The Northern Pacific Railroad Company have been obliged to pay considerable sums for the right of way at places on the Cowlitz.

One of the towns on the Sound that is struggling for terminal honors is spoken of sneeringly by the Kalama paper as "Olympia, alias Brown's wharf."

The Walla Walla *Statesman* favors the nomination of Judge McFadden as the Democratic candidate for Delegate to Congress from Washington Territory.

A certain portion of the people of North Idaho are laboring for the reformation of the Territorial lines, whereby that section is to be discovered from South Idaho. Others, again, are laboring to segregate a portion of our Territory embracing the Snake valleys, and annex the same to Nevada. Yet such is the fact.

There being no railways in America, Mr. Evans, in 1787, sent drawings and specifications of his plan to England by Captain Myers, of Annapolis, Maryland. In 1794-5 he again sent thither his plan by Joseph Stacy Sampson, of Boston, Mass., and yet again in 1775 he sent thither his plan by Charles Taylor. In short, from the fact that Richard Trevithick, who in 1802 patented in England the high-pressure locomotive, introduced into Cornwall the cylindrical fire boiler invented by Oliver Evans for his high pressure engine, there is hardly a reasonable doubt but that he appropriated without acknowledgment the inventions of Mr. Evans.

Oliver Evans' plan for a railway was that it be laid so nearly level as not to deviate in any place more than two degrees from a horizontal line, made of wood or iron, on smooth parks of broken stone or gravel, with a rail to guide the carriages, so that they may pass each other in different directions, and travel by night as well as by day."

The sole reason why the locomotive was not used on rails in America years before it was in Great Britain was because its inventor, Oliver Evans, had not of his own means sufficient to build a railway, and he could not induce Americans of his day to subscribe one dollar.

Thirty years afterward, Elijah Galloway, the British writer on steam, declared and proved Oliver Evans to be not only the true inventor of the locomotive, but of the first practical steamboat. In 1802 Oliver Evans had a high-pressure engine built in Philadelphia, to be put in a boat to run on the Mississippi. But when the engine arrived at New Orleans, the boat had been destroyed by a hurricane, and the engine was set to sawing timber. This was ten years before Robert Fulton started the Clermont on the Hudson. In 1803 he proved that navigation by steam was feasible, by putting his engine on a scow on the river Schuylkill with a stern wheel, making it propel its way down the river to the Delaware, and thence up to Philadelphia. This was four years before Fulton started a steamboat.

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IN DISEASES OF THE

LUNGS, CATARRH, BRONCHITIS,

AND DEAFNESS.

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The following is an extract from a letter just received by Dr. Aborn, from one of his patients:

ABERNATHY, O. W., Nov. 28, 1871.

DR. ABORN—*Dear Sir*—I am happy to state that by following your directions and using your medicines for a few weeks after I came home, I was entirely relieved of my life removed; my hearing continues good; my lungs, I believe, are sound and the catarrh is cured. My bronchial affections are better than they have been for six years.

I am fully convinced that Dr. Aborn could have saved me from Consumption, or cured me of deafness, bronchial affections, etc.

My deafness was cured in three days, lungs and bronchial affections in about four weeks. May you live long to bless the world by relieving suffering humanity.

Yours truly, DAVID IRGAN.

Still

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1871.

Two Systems Contrasted.

Some of our contemporaries were disposed a short time ago to take issue with a position advanced by the OREGONIAN, that it was not a good policy to rely on a system of industry which would cause us to export continually to foreign countries the fertilizing constituents of our soil, in the shape of raw materials, and to rely on importing manufactured and finished goods for our own consumption. The evil effects of this policy are seen in many parts of the South where whole counties have suffered such a deterioration of soil, resulting from the cultivation of tobacco and cotton for export, that the population have been driven to other and newer localities, where they are renewing the same destructive process. Similar conditions surround the area devoted to the growth of grain for export. The wheat fields of Ohio and Illinois are no longer productive, and in a few years those of Iowa and Minnesota will begin to show similar exhaustion. If we flatter ourselves that we shall escape a similar fate in Oregon (if a similar method is continued) we shall be disappointed.

The Chicago *Journal of Commerce* discussed this subject in a way that is at once practical and conclusive. The farmer, it observes, who views with pride and exultation the building of a railroad in his neighborhood, may perhaps consider it a matter of very little personal concern to him whether the rails were made in England or the United States; yet he has an individual interest of no small magnitude in this question. If they have been produced abroad, they represent many car loads of agricultural produce consumed by the numerous laborers employed in converting the crude ore into the finished rail. On the supposition that all this produce was supplied from American farms, then not only did those who grew it send a part of the fertilizing constituents of their lands more than three thousand miles to market, where, after subserving human nutrition, it helped to enrich a foreign soil, but the money received for it, with much added, has been expended in buying and bringing back, in the shape of rails, a metal which our own country contains in the most lavish abundance. On the supposition that all this agricultural produce was supplied entirely from foreign sources, then, by the importation of these rails, the farmers of the United States were deprived of an American market in which they could have sold an immense quantity of breadstuffs and provisions, to be consumed by the men, and by the families of the men, who would have manufactured railroad iron on our own soil, out of native ores, and who would have become even more extensive purchasers and profitable customers next year.

Free trade operates to put distance between the farmer and his markets; protection operates to diminish the distance between the two. Free trade practically encourages the poverishment of the soil, by fostering the policy which exports its fertilizing elements to foreign countries; protection reinforces the productivity of land, by providing a regular and unfailing means of speedily returning to it, at small expense, the nutritive properties abstracted by the successive crops. Free trade undertakes to show, or rather takes for granted, that manufacturing industry and tillage are not necessarily connected and interdependent; protection demonstrates by the logic of facts, figures and experience that they move hand in hand, in indissoluble alliance. Free trade tends to make great commercial towns and a thinly settled, poor interior country; protection operates for the benefit of those in the interior in a far greater ratio than for that of those near the coasts and ports. Free trade assumes that we can dispose of enough exports abroad to pay for an unlimited quantity of imports; protection proves that we can export only certain descriptions of articles, and those only to countries where the money price is higher than with us, whether we take their goods or not.

The French War Indemnity.

A French newspaper in New York points out the immensity of the sum which France is paying to Germany as war indemnity, and dwells on the probable consequences of this vast drain of money from one country to the other. This indemnity equals one thousand millions of dollars, or half the amount of our National debt. The newspaper referred to shows that this sum equals all the California and Australian gold crops combined, for ten years; all the gold which was drawn from the Western Continent from 1800 to 1848, nearly the whole product of the famous Potosi Silver Mines during three centuries and a half, which, according to Humboldt, amounted to six thousand millions of francs, the combined gold and silver yield of the globe, at this time, for five consecutive years; and, finally, one-tenth of the whole available specie and bullion fund now in existence. Here are five great equivalents, each about the same as the sum demanded by Germany, and a third part of which has actually been paid over by France.

The same journal proceeds to give the details of payments made and to be made within the next few months, as follows: M. Thiers has paid, as a contribution for the city of Paris, $40,000,000; for the maintenance of German troops in France to October, 1871, $60,000,000; and for the first payment upon the national indemnity, $235,000,000, besides $65,000,000 allowed as the purchase money for the railroads in Alsace and Lorraine; in all, $395,000,000. There are due to Germany in the spring of 1873, $100,000,000, to be paid in six installments of $16,000,000 each, beginning with January 15; the remainder of $1,000,000 to be paid April 1; besides more than $30,000,000 for interest at five per cent. per annum, upon the remaining $600,000,000. The total amount of money to be transferred from one country to the other for the year ending April 1, 1872, is therefore, more than $460,000,000.

Of this amount about $330,000,000 has actually been paid over to Germany, and the bulk of it transferred from France and England to that country. The consequence is a great scarcity of specie in both France and England; it is at a constantly increasing premium in France, and the bills of the Bank of France are already at a heavy discount. Meantime the specie thus drawn from London and Paris goes largely into the kaiser's fortress at Magdeburg, to form an "Imperial war fund" (which Bismarck has just asked the German Parliament to sanction), or to be used in replacing the silver coinage of the Empire by a gold currency. Thus more than $100,000,000 is already locked up, and nobody knows where the hoarding of the Berlin Government will stop.

The New York *Evening Post* takes up the subject, and estimates that by February next at least $300,000,000 in coin will have been drawn from England by France, or taken from France itself, and shut up in the coffers of Bismarck. As before shown an indemnity balance of $600,000,000 will remain to be paid after March next; so no one can tell where this hoarding will stop.

The French people are, however, responding with alacrity to the demands made upon them, and the finances of that country are showing remarkable elasticity considering the tremendous strain upon them. The French industrial system is admirably organized and sustained, and it gives that country remarkable recuperative power.

One More Unfortunate.

One J. D. Foltz, who seems to be one of those truly unfortunate individuals who are never happy unless they can find something to complain about, has written a letter from Oregon to the *Jasper* (Iowa) *Republican*, which for idiotic grumbling goes far beyond the attempts of all his predecessors in that line. Here is a part of his jeremiad:

> I have been deceived most wretchedly, both in the country and the people. They are the strangest set of people I ever knew. It is very unhealthy here; rains six months out of every year, so much that nothing can be done out of doors; no work can be procured of any kind; there are more idle men here than Grant had soldiers in his army—men having work to do hire Chinese at fifty cents a day. As to schools, there are twenty teachers, I do believe, to every school, and wages only from thirty to thirty-three dollars per month. You will remember that Mr. Keyes said fiddles were very scarce here—*ladies* are, but *women* are not. I will venture to say there are three women here, who want to marry, to every man; but not one man in a hundred would marry one of them, because they know they are not true; I have only earned thirty-three dollars since I have been here. I spent my last dollar in buying a ticket to Salem. It is raining here now, and old settlers say it will continue on until June. You can imagine how we all feel at this prospect. If I was home again I would be satisfied, even if I *hadn't but one cent*. I must not despair. I have a wife and four children to support—God bless them, I wish I was with them to-night. I will fight it through, but I cannot tell what the end will be. Oh, contentment! How little we appreciate home and plenty, until we are deprived of both. I think I shall write a book on Oregon, and call it "Foltz's Paradise Lost." Would you like to publish it? There are thousands here who would go back if they had the money to go with.

The letter purports to have been written at Portland, though not dated here. It is evident that the writer is a person who hangs about street corners and associates with loose and lazy people of all sorts, male and female. Beyond question he obtained his ideas of Oregon women from the *demi monde* of Portland into whose society he naturally fell. This will explain, too, why he earned no money; such as he do not earn money. But it is useless to devote further space to a person who could write such a letter.

The Industrial and Financial Situation.

A New York commercial paper of high standing, the *Shipping and Commercial List*, in an exhaustive review of the financial and industrial condition of the country, comes to the conclusion that the situation was never so favorable as now. It adds:

> The national debt has ceased to be a bugbear to the timid. Nobody any longer doubts the ability of the Government to pay it off to the uttermost cent during the present generation; but we are among those who believe that Mr. Boutwell's policy of anticipating payment of the principal of the debt is not absolutely necessary to demonstrate the will and ability of the American people to deal justly by their creditors. We believe capitalists, on both sides of the Atlantic, would have fully as much confidence in the wisdom and integrity of our public financiers, if they should manifest a disposition to lighten the burdens of taxation, husband the resources of the Government, and confine their efforts to the payment of bond interest as it accrues, and that portion of the public debt which is already over due. The credit of any nation depends upon these fundamental conditions; the stability of its government and institutions, its proved ability to pecuniary obligations, and the amplitude of its resources, or means of payment, as compared with its liabilities. All of these conditions have been established. Reports from Europe state that never in the financial history of that continent has there been so active a demand for United States securities as at present. While the disturbed condition of European politics is impairing the value of European bonds, the growing stability and order which characterizes affairs in the United States, are enhancing its credit so rapidly that the demand for its securities can no longer be supplied by Government bonds, whose aggregate is growing less every month. Streams of foreign capital are pouring into this country for investment in sound securities, and there is every reason to suppose that, with continued integrity and efficiency in the conduct of the Government, this volume will continue to swell and expand as the numerous fields for the investment of money become more fully known. Ample resources being thus assured, the time has clearly arrived to ease the strain upon the people's resources.

Speaker Blaine is to be put forward as a candidate for Vice President. Republican Congressmen from Pennsylvania say that he is the choice of their State and will get its vote in the Convention. Mr. Blaine is a native of Pennsylvania; though he has resided for a number of years in Maine. His chances for the nomination seem to be good, since either an Eastern or a Southern man will probably be placed on the ticket with Grant, and a Southern man is nearly out of the question, for we have had quite enough of unhappy experience with them.

The Cost of a Strike.

An English paper has the following:

> The effects of the long protracted strike of the Newcastle engineers upon the physical condition of the working classes of that district are recounted in a chapter of painfully interesting statistics in a recent issue of the British *Medical Journal*. The dispensary returns of the Newcastle District show that the death rate, as well as the number of dispensary patients, continues to increase in an alarming rate, although the strike has ended, and a large part of this increase is due to starvation caused by the strike. The *Journal* also states that from present indications it may be regarded as probable that the sufferings of the working classes during the past half year will result in the spread of epidemic fevers during the winter season, and against these evils the poor of the district, reduced to penury by the long suspension of industrial operations, have no means of making provision. The small-pox has also broken out among the families of the strikers, and those who are most reduced by want are soonest attacked. Add to this the loss of time, the squandered savings, and the demoralization of the whole working population of the district by the long period of voluntary idleness, and we have the data on which to estimate what the strike has cost the Newcastle engineers and their families.

IS THERE ANY MOTHER HERE.—A little girl once followed the workmen from her father's grounds when they went home to their dinner, because she was very fond of a kind old man who was one of them. When he looked from his door he saw her sitting on a log waiting for him, and invited her to go into the cottage. She looked in and saw the strange faces around the table, and hesitated. When he urged her, she raised her sweet little face and inquired:

"Is there any mother here?"

"Yes, my dear, there is a mother in here," he answered.

"Oh, then I'll go in; for I'm not afraid if there's a mother there!"

Her child experience had told her she should place confidence in a mother's sympathy. A home may be small and mean, but if it has the shrine of a mother's love, it is a happier place than a palace would be without this blessed presence.

OREGON.

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d4d1f2p JAMES AHERN, San Jose.

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MEMBERS OF VIGILANCE H. & L. CO. NO. 1, are requested to meet at the Truck House this TUESDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Brother Fireman, C. Bills. By order of the Foreman. d19d1

I. O. O. F.

ELLISON ENCAMPMENT, NO. 1—MEMBERS ARE hereby notified to meet at the Hall this (Tuesday) morning, Dec. 19th, at 10 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late Bro. Patriarch, C. BILLS.

d19d1f J. H. LYON, Scribe.

Funeral Notice.

MEMBERS OF HASSALO LODGE NO. 15, I. O. O. F., are hereby notified to meet at their Hall on Tuesday morning, December 19, 1871, at 9:30 A. M., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, C. Bills. Members of sister Lodges and sojourning brethren in good standing are invited to attend.

By order of the N. G.

Masonic Notice.

THE MEMBERS OF HARMONY AND WILLAMETTE Lodges, and sojourning brethren in good standing, are requested to meet at Masonic Hall at half past nine o'clock this TUESDAY MORNING, for the purpose of burying with Masonic honors the remains of our late brother, Cincinnati Bills.

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TUESDAY MORNING, DEC. 19, 1871.

CITY.

CENTRAL SCHOOL.—Following is the report for the term ending December 15th: J. M. Williamson, Principal; Miss F. A. Holman, First Assistant. Grammar Department—Boys enrolled, 61; girls, 37; whole number, 98; average attendance, 82.

Intermediate Department—Mrs. M. W. McCready, Teacher. Boys enrolled, 31; girls, 28; whole number, 59; average attendance, 44.

First Primary Department—Miss Martha Mulkey, Teacher. Boys enrolled, 42; girls, 28; whole number, 70; average attendance, 50.

Second Primary Department—Miss Mary Sinclair, Teacher. Boys enrolled, 44; girls, 39; whole number, 82; average attendance, 47; transferred to high school, 6.

SEEING THE SIGHTS.—Peter Green, who hails from Soap Creek, while walking around the other night, "doing" "Portland by gaslight," stumbled into a dam on Second street, where he was relieved of $160. Peter should have known better than to have treated himself abroad with so much money. It is an old saying that, "a fool and his money are soon parted." We would advise the verdant youth to return home immediately; otherwise he stands in danger of being eaten by the cows—in fact he is too green to live.

THE ABSCONDING CONTRACTORS.—The *Beacon*, referring to the report that Abbott & Lamb had been awarded a contract for grading and bridging thirty miles of the Northern Pacific Railroad from Kalama towards the Sound, says: "The stock-holding contractors, Lamb & Abbott, were erroneously reported as having had the award of the 30 mile contract. On the contrary, there is no delusion yet as to whether there will be a new letting, or award made to one of the parties who bid before, so we hear reported."

THE COLUMBIA RIVER.—Parties from the Dalles report the weather as being intensely cold, and that the Columbia is full of floating ice. Dispatches received Sunday night from Umatilla and Wallula are to the same effect. It is hardly probable that the boat will be able to make the connection above the Cascades this morning. It is feared that the ice will jam at Crate's Point, a few miles below the Dalles, in which event navigation on the Columbia will be suspended for the season.

WEST SIDE ROAD.—Track laying on the West Side road was completed last night as far as Cornelius, the terminus of the first section. It is the intention to open the road for business at an early day. Five box cars, intended for this road, were brought across the river yesterday. A passenger car and a number of freight cars, now building at the company's shops, East Portland, will be placed upon the road early the coming week.

THEATRICAL.—Chas. W. Knowles, proprietor of the Oro Fino Theater, yesterday received a telegram stating that Mr. Waldron would leave San Francisco with a dramatic troupe on the next steamer. The company will be composed of the following ladies and gentlemen: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Waldron, Mr. and Mrs. Leipelt, Miss Nellie Cummins and Messrs. Barry, Cleaves, Roberts, Cotton, Crowell, Telford and Bird.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday night as a female, who earns a precarious livelihood by dispensing beer in a down-town saloon, was walking along Front street, she fell with such violence as to break her wrist. Uncharitable persons assert that the lady was intoxicated. But then you know people will talk.

SOMETHING IN THE WIND.—The presence in our city during the past few days of so many of the leaders of the Democratic party, would indicate that something was up. There is considerable wire-pulling and buzzing going on among the faithful. What does it mean?

WEATHER-BOUND.—A number of gentlemen residing in the Eastern portion of the State are here, weather-bound, the prospect ahead being of a character far from flattering, induces them to "bear the ills they have, than fly to those they know not of."

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At a meeting of Willamette Lodge F. and A. M., held last night, the following officers were elected: H. L. Hoyt, W. M.; Thos. Mann, S. W.; W. W. Francis, J. W.; Geo. Flanders, Treasurer; S. Pennoyer, Secretary.

CONFINED.—The examination of Dan Lowrey, charged with appropriating a silk hat, the property of another, was yesterday, in the Police Court, on motion of the Prosecuting Attorney, continued until Wednesday.

HIGH WINDS.—Owing to the high winds which prevailed on the Columbia river yesterday, the Hayward was delayed several hours in making the trip from the Cascades. At times the wind blew a perfect hurricane.

CITY ASSESSMENT.—John M. Brock, City Assessor, has completed his labors and returned to the Auditor the assessment rolls. The amount of taxable property will foot up in the neighborhood of $9,000,000.

SNOW.—Parties from Albany, who arrived in the city yesterday, inform us that on Sunday snow fell at that place to the depth of eight inches. At Corvallis the snow was ten inches deep.

LAID DOWN.—The Oregon Steam Navigation Company's telegraph line was down yesterday, and, therefore, we are without any weather reports from the upper Columbia.

CLOSED.—The offices of both the city and county officials were closed yesterday, and will continue so until after the funeral of the late Sheriff Bills.

COURTS.—Yesterday morning the Circuit and Police Courts adjourned in respect to the memory of the late Sheriff Bills.

PERSONAL.—Ex-Senator James W. Nesmith arrived in this city yesterday, and is the guest of the Cosmopolitan Hotel.

POSTPONED.—The sailing of the steamship *Ajax* has been postponed until this morning at eleven o'clock.

IN TOWN.—Mr. John Barrows, of the firm of Blain, Young & Co., Albany, is in the city.

ADJOURNED.—The U. S. District Court yesterday adjourned until after the holidays.

COUNTY HOSPITAL.—The County Hospital at present contains 26 patients.

THE LATE SHERIFF BILLS.

The late Cincinnati Bills was born in the western part of Vermont, October 23d, 1825, and was therefore in his forty-seventh year. In 1844 he emigrated from that State to Indiana, and thence in 1853 to Oregon. He reached Portland August 31st, and soon found employment as a farm hand at Sandy, in this county. He continued in that occupation for two years, and then engaged in draying in this city, in which he remained until his election as Sheriff of the county, in June of last year. He had been a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows for nineteen years, also a member of the Masonic Fraternity since 1857, and was an Exempt Fireman of this city at the time of his death, after due service in Eagles Company Willamette No. 1. Mr. Bills leaves a wife and four children.

The societies to which the deceased belonged, the City Council, of which he was a member, the Bar and Fire Department have made arrangements to attend the funeral, which will take place this morning at eleven o'clock, from the Taylor street M. E. Church.

AMUSEMENTS.

THE MINSTRELS.—Notwithstanding the extremely cold weather last evening the Oro Fino Theater was crowded to witness the first performance of Purdy & Vincent's Minstrels. The first part opened with the full company upon the stage. The singing of M. Ainsley Scott and Mr. Stanwood was excellently rendered, while the comicalities of Vincent and Purdy kept the audience in a roar of laughter. In the second part, Postelle, the female impersonator, created a favorable impression in his burlesque singing. His imitations of prominent dancesses was also exceedingly well done. Messrs. Purdy, Scott and Vincent, filled the olio to the satisfaction of all present. The company is really a good one. Another good house may be anticipated this evening.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL.

In pursuance to a call issued by the Mayor the Council held a special meeting yesterday afternoon to make arrangements to attend the funeral of the late Councilman Bills, and also to give expression of regret at the loss of one of the most efficient and respected members of that body.

In calling the Council to order, Mayor Wasserman in a very feeling and eloquent manner, announced the death of Councilman Bills and stated the object of the meeting.

The following resolutions were offered by Councilman Burton:

WHEREAS, a good man goes to his final rest it is a time-honored custom, prompted by the better feelings of our nature, for those with whom he has been associated in the affairs of life to give some public expression to their regrets and sympathies; wherefore, at this time, the Common Council of the City of Portland feeling that in the death of Cincinnati Bills, the Council has lost an active and useful member, the county a faithful and efficient officer, his associates a warm-hearted and generous friend and the world an honest man;

Resolved, That the sympathies of the Common Council be and are hereby tendered to the family and friends of the deceased in this their great affliction.

Resolved, That the Common Council as a body will attend and assist in paying the last sad tribute of respect to the memory of their deceased fellow-member.

Resolved, That the public offices be closed during the day fixed for the funeral services; that the Council room be suitably draped and the usual badge of mourning worn for thirty days.

Mr. Hallock addressed the Chair as follows: The sentiments expressed in the resolutions offered by my colleague meet my approval in the fullest sense. It is true that a good man has fallen. I have known Cincinnati Bills for eighteen or nineteen years. In times gone by, I have been his political friend as well as his political enemy; but I have always found him honest in his opinions, and the last friend of Portland. He seemed to fully comprehend her future greatness, and was ever ready to lend his hand to help her onward. No public enterprise was brought forward that did not receive both his sanction and influence. The absence of his presence and counsels will be missed in the future deliberations of this body.

Mr. President, as I look upon that vacant chair, it is with difficulty that I can comprehend, in this full blaze of light and life, that the broad-shouldered, stalwart man who stood beside us, unceasing in his activity, doing no wrong, seeking only the good of others and the welfare and prosperity of this metropolis, should disappear from our sight forever and his spirit by translation pass to another world. Mr. President, I move the adoption of the resolutions.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

On motion of Mr. Hallock, the executive officer of the Council was directed to make all necessary arrangements for the Council to attend the funeral of the late Councilman Bills.

On motion the Council adjourned until this morning at ten o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM.

CIRCUIT COURT,
Monday, December, 18, 1871.

On the opening of Court, W. W. Page, Esq., announced the painful intelligence of the death of C. Bills, late Sheriff of this county. Out of respect to the memory of deceased, the Court, on motion of Mr. Page, adjourned until Wednesday morning next, the 20th inst., at 9 o'clock.

A meeting of the officers of the Court and members of the Bar was then called, the Hon. W. W. Upton, Judge, being called to the chair; C. W. Parrish, Clerk, was, upon motion of J. N. Dolph, Esq., elected Secretary.

On motion, a committee of five was appointed by the Chair to draft resolutions expressive of regret at the loss of so excellent and efficient an officer. The Chair announced Messrs. W. W. Page, J. N. Dolph, J. W. Whalley, R. Williams and C. B. Bellinger, as the committee, who were instructed to report at the opening of Court on Wednesday morning next.

C. W. PARRISH, Secretary.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

Go to H. W. Monastes' crockery store on First street, between Morrison and Yamhill, and see the large assortment of fancy goods for holiday presents, just received per steamer *Ajax*.

MUSICAL.—Elsewhere will be found the card of Mr. David W. C. Nesfield, professor of vocal and instrumental music. Mr. N. comes highly recommended, having for some time filled the responsible positions of organist at the St. Mary's Church, and principal singer of Trinity Church, San Francisco. Mr. Nesfield is also the author of several very popular pieces of music.

A FINE ESTABLISHMENT.—There is no surer index of the prosperity of a city than the appearance of its stores. It is by them that a stranger judges and forms an opinion as to the amount of business capacity and enterprise that is possessed by its merchants and business men. Let the business establishments of a city be of an uninviting, dull and gloomy appearance, goods arranged without any regard to taste or order, and the verdict is immediately given that the business men are without energy or tact, and, as a natural consequence, the conviction is forced upon the visitor that the city partaking of the spirit of its men of business, is devoid of energy and enterprise, and, as such, will contest itself by running in one groove, seeking to expel rather than to attract custom. We are led to these remarks by the opening of the new dry goods store of Messrs. Clarke, Henderson & Cook, in Dekum's new building, corner of Washington and First streets. The store was thrown open last night for the first time, and was visited by a large number of ladies and gentlemen, all of whom expressed themselves in the highest terms of praise of the taste and judgment displayed in fitting up, and the arrangement for the display of goods and convenience of customers. The store is an ornament to our city, and compares favorably with establishments of like character in the large cities of the Eastern States. San Francisco has no store that can excel it.

In the New York *Herald* we observe an advertisement to the effect that a whole Funeral can be had for $25. Well, that is decidedly cheap; but think of selling suits of Clothing at $18. It is done every day at Kohn & Fichel's, 91 Front street, where they not only sell suits cheap, but it is so in everything they offer to the public.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—By the next steamer will be received at Kast & Richards, Front street, between Alder and Morrison, a large and elegant stock of goods for the holidays. They have a full assortment of winter goods in store and will be happy to see everybody.

On Tuesday last there arrived in this city by the Oregon and California Railroad two men from Long Tom who had come all the way here to purchase suits of clothing from J. O'Neil & Co. They had been reading the *Oregonian*, and found that O'Neil & Co. were selling goods cheap, consequently they journeyed hitherward. O'Neil & Co. supplied them with the star shirt, under clothes, neck-ties and other articles, the parties being satisfied that O'Neil & Co. did the handsome thing with their customers. Go thou and do likewise, at O'Neil & Co.'s, 93 First street.

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DECEMBER 18, 1871.

War Department, Signal Service, United States Army, Division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce.

Place of Observation	Height of Barometer	Change in last 3 hrs.	Thermometer	Change in last 24 hrs.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind	Relative Humidity, Saturation being 100	State of Weather.
			4:32 A. M.					
Portland	29.65	.01	25	—7	N. E.	Fresh	86	Light snow
San Diego								
S. Fr'cisco								
			1:32 P. M.					
Portland	29.71	.18	29	—13	N. E	Fresh		Snow
San Diego								
S. Fr'cisco								
			8:32 P. M.					
Portland	29.72	.01	25	—6	N. E	Fresh	12	Snow
San Diego								
S. Fr'cisco								

NOTE—Barometer corrected for temperature and elevation.

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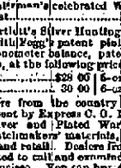

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Several of these cautious individuals having done us the honor to invite an expression of opinion in these columns on the properties of the much talked of Tonic known as PLANTATION BITTERS, we have taken the pains to obtain from a distinguished physician whose ability and integrity of purpose no one will venture to question, what may fairly be deemed a conclusive answer to the questions of our correspondents. Dr. Elias Kennedy Whitmarsh, as a surgeon, pathologist and chemist, has few superiors west of the Alleghanies, and the following conversation which occurred a few days ago between that gentleman and one of our staff, is offered, without comment, for the information of "whom it may concern:"

REPORTER.—Have you any objection to state your views in relation to a medicinal preparation which has obtained great celebrity in this country? The object is to ascertain whether the reputation is deserved or not.

DR. WHITMARSH.—*If* I know anything about the article, I'll tell you what I think of it. How is it named?

REPORTER.—PLANTATION BITTERS.

DR. WHITMARSH.—Well, it is a wholesome vegetable tonic.

REPORTER.—Anything else?

WHITMARSH.—Yes, it has a mild aperient property, and produces a salutary effect upon the liver when that organ is diseased.

REPORTER.—It contains alcohol I understand—Santa Croix Rum.

DR. WHITMARSH.—Of course it contains a diffusive stimulant. If it did not its medicinal ingredients would be comparatively inert. They are rendered operative by the alcoholic principle.

REPORTER.—Supposing that theory to be correct, a Santa Croix Rum a good article for that purpose?

DR. WHITMARSH.—The best I think. It is more nutritious and far less exciting than the spirits made from grapes or grain.

REPORTER.—But are stimulants really necessary at all in medical treatment?

DR. WHITMARSH.—Sir, if you had ever practiced medicine you would not ask the question. They are an essential portion of the *materia medica*. Every intelligent member of the profession knows that. The physician who denies it is either a hypocrite or a fool.

REPORTER.—Do you consider a medicated stimulant like the PLANTATION BITTERS preferable to simple alcohol: In other words, would the Santa Croix Rum be as useful without the other ingredients as with them?

DR. WHITMARSH.—Certainly not. Among those ingredients are Extract of Dandelion, one of the finest antibilious medicines I know of; Calisaya Bark, of all tonics the best; and Chamomile, an admirable stomachic. The remedial powers of these curatives is increased probably tenfold by the nutritive stimulant with which they are incorporated.

REPORTER.—You seem to have a high opinion of the Bitters.

DR. WHITMARSH.—I simply state facts, sir. You must draw your own conclusions.

REPORTER.—May I ask if you ever prescribed PLANTATION BITTERS for your patients?

DR. WHITMARSH.—I do, frequently. All that I have said to you is founded on my own experience. I never make positive statements on unsubstantial grounds.

REPORTER.—I am sure of that. Excuse me for having trespassed so long on your valuable time. Good evening.

We presume the correspondents who have addressed us on the subject of PLANTATION BITTERS, will consider their questions satisfactorily answered by the remarks of Dr. Whitmarsh.

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The steamer *Ajax* has been postponed again. This time to-morrow at 11 o'clock A. M.

The storm prevailing during last night and to-day caused fears to be expressed that if the vessels reported outside the Bar did not cross on Saturday or yesterday, they have been driven to sea.

The bark *Helen W. Almy* was towed up to her wharf by the *Dixie Thompson*. Her manifest we gave in the Oregonian of Dec. 8th.

The steamer *Orefiamme* was to leave San Francisco for this port to-day but owing to the lines being down we can not say if she did or not. If she left to-day she is due here on the 22d.

The bark *Webfoot*, when cargo is discharged, will take in a cargo of produce for San Francisco.

The active demand since harvest for tonnage in the East at all the points of export, and the consequent advance in ocean freights has given quite an impetus to shipbuilding. Our Eastern exchanges state that the shipyards have been comparatively busy.

We are informed that the steamer *Senator* is afloat, and will be towed to Oregon City to-morrow by the *E. N. Cooke*.

By reference to the article in the morning's OREGONIAN on Furs, we see from that on Manufactures, with a part of that on Furs embodied in that on Manufactures, near the center. The two articles have no relative bearing whatever upwards each other.

In the month of October, in an article on the destruction of the pineries in some of the Western States, we took occasion to speak of the probable effect it would have on the future lumber market. In that article we took into consideration the destruction of chimneys, the building of new towns along lines of railroads completed and under construction, the improving of farms along lines of railroads not yet completed, together with the very generally increased demand in the West, which will tend to draw supplies of Lumber from eastern localities going to the Eastern States and mostly in a gradual rise in the price of Lumber until our own market will be visibly affected by it. Our Western and Eastern exchanges, which came to hand last month and also this month, when touching on this subject, expressed substantially the same views we did. But from them we obtain fuller accounts of the destruction of the pineries in Michigan, from which we learn that the destruction "outright" is not less than 10 per cent. of the pines and may reach 20 per cent., with the breadth burnt over covering an area of some hundred square miles, extending into it not through the greater part of Minnesota and Wisconsin, and that the fire extended into Ohio, Indiana, and reached far into Canada. As yet no estimate has been reached as far which any great degree of accuracy is claimed, but steps have been taken to secure returns from all mill owners regarding the fire in their various localities, which it is thought will enable a correct estimate of the entire losses to be made. One of the Michigan papers, the *Midland Independent*, uses the following language: "We know from past experience that very few trees, where the fire has been, will live, and may assume, for all practical purposes, that all the pine in the burnt districts is killed." Pine not lumbered this Winter or next, will be lost, and probably much that remains after this Winter will be seriously damaged by borers. We think it may safely be stated that all of one-half of the pine in the burnt districts will prove a total loss." The amount of lumber required to rebuild Chicago and many of the towns and villages burnt in Wisconsin and Michigan, together with improvements on a large number of farms which have been swept by the fires will take more lumber than was at first supposed. It is estimated that Chicago alone wants Lumber to the value of $30,000,000. The growing scarcity of pine in the West has caused an increased inquiry for the yellow pines of the Southern States by the Northern States bordering the Atlantic coast. Late exchanges report European orders heavy, with large contracts made. The inquiry for the yellow pine of the South, by foreign countries, has increased largely, all of 200 per cent. over last year, causing more activity in the pineries of the South, which are becoming more or less depleted. The price of yellow pine has been advanced, with still further advances in contemplation. These advances will surely throw the greater part of the foreign trade in yellow pine going South to our State and Washington Territory.

The consumption of Iron in the United States is of such magnitude that few out of those engaged in that branch of industry have the least conception of. At this writing we are unable to give a tabular statement of the imports into the United States last year, but the amount imported by the United States from Great Britain for the year 1866 aggregated 243,918 tons to the Atlantic ports, and 14,907 tons to the Pacific Coast ports. Since the year 1866, the United States have increased the amount taken from England to such an extent that it is safe to place the imports of the year 1870 at not less than 500 per cent. The United States produced in 1868, 631,000 tons Pig Iron, and in 1869, 1,916,641 tons or more than double that of four years before. The estimated production last year is placed at an increase of 50 per cent. over that of 1870, of which amount Pennsylvania produced fully one-half. We are not prepared to give the amount imported by Oregon and California either this or last year, but the aggregate amount of Rails, Chains, Nails, Pig, etc., imported is very large, as the imports of Nails alone will amount to all of 150,000 kegs for this year.

Real Estate Transactions.

James Tweddle and wife to H. C. Hill, 5 60-100 acres in Multnomah county—$1,422 60.

J. H. Couch and wife to A. N. King, 31 acres in donation claim—$1,000.

P. M. Thompkins and wife to Hamilton & Poppleton, 160 acres in Multnomah county—$500.

D. Prater and wife to Monora Howe, lots 4 and 5 in Section 7, T 1 N, R 1 E—$500.

J. H. Hill to E. Kelly, 8 acres in S 15, T 1 S, R 1 E—$2,000.

J. H. Mc.ville and wife to Wm. Dryden, lots 7 and 8 in block 7, East Portland—$1,700.

Sophia Banks to John W. Wilhoit, block 107, East Portland, and north half of lot 3 in block B, Caruthers' Addition—$7,000.

Antone Busby to E. P. Cardwell, 50 acres in Busby's donation claim—$650.

Produce Market.

WHEAT—Pending the arrival of the Idaho fleet, and also owing to difference in views of holders and shippers, the market is devoid of animation. The vessels now on the berth for San Francisco are principally taking in Wheat. We quote shippers' extremes at $1 75@2 20 ₱ cental for sacked.

FLOUR—The large shipments from above were caused by the bark *Grace Roberts'* cargo being composed almost entirely of Flour, as also that of the steamer *Ajax*. We hear of several large orders from Victoria and Sound ports awaiting shipment by the steamer *California*, now due. We quote extra of standard brands at $7 ₱ bbl; country, $6 75; superfine and potable brands, $6@6 50 ₱ bbl.

OATS—The market exhibits more firmness, with the demand fair. We quote market at $2 65@2 70 ₱ cental, sacked.

General Merchandise.

IRON—A private dispatch from San Francisco quotes an advance of ¼c ₱ lb. Prices here have been marked up ½c ₱ lb. Shipping by this advance there.

CANDLES—The market for choice brands is characterized by cov ble firmness at previous quotations, in sympathy with the San Francisco market.

Daily Receipts of Produce.

Per O. & C. R. R.—Dec. 16.—6 bxs apples, 11 pkgs of dried apples, A & W., 468 sks of flour, J E & Co; 143 sks of wheat, A & H; 816 qr sks flour, C & M; 251 bf sks, 374 qr sks flour, W. & M; 8 bxs eggs, J & M; 2 bxs eggs, 85 pkgs apples, 31 casts table, L. W & Co; 10 bxs eggs, A & L.

Per O. & C. R. R.—Dec. 18.—403 qr sks flour, J E & Co; 5 bxs butter, 2 bxs eggs, A & L; 22 bales printing paper, O R Mfg Co; 33 sks flour, J & A Tyler; 130 sks bran, 24 sks middlings, 6 coops poultry, C & M; 1 sk bran, 1 bx glass, Investors, W U Tel Co; 1 bx shrubbery, T J, R.

Per *Fannie Troup*—38 sks potatoes, M; 60 sks potatoes, Z; 9 bales hay, 4 dressed hogs, 1 pkg butter, to order; 30 sks oats R & F.

Per *Second Hand*—90 sks wheat, S D; 220 qr sks flour, S B & Co; 310 sks wheat, R & Bros; 10 sks wheat, H, F & Co; 18 hides, A & C.

Per *E. N. Cook*—200 qr sks flour, 10 sks bran, J B Co; 45 bxs apples, 20 pkgs butter, A & L; 6 bxs lard, H & C, 102 qr sks flour, H S; 60 sks flour, J F; 15 bxs apples, O S N Co; 2 bxs eggs, J O'C; 50 bxs apples, C & M; 14 pgs lard, 2 bxs butter, 3 bxs eggs, L W & Co; 2,000 qr sks flour, S & Co; 12 bxs eggs, P M; 1 pkg butter, 3 bxs eggs, 2 pkgs bacon, W W; 1 pkg dried apples, H; 3 dressed hogs.

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I will not sell at or below cost, but will sell as low as any other establishment can sell a first-class article.

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Come! Examine! Purchase!

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Sugar Apples, Sugar Plums,
Sugar Girls with Sugar Thumbs,
Sugar Peaches, Sugar Pears,
Sugar Hens, Lambs and Steers,
Sugar Birds with Sugar Wings,
Sugar Rings and Sugar Strings,
Sugar Horses tamed and tried.
For Little Sugar Tots to Eat.
Besides a thousand other Toys
To please the little Girls and Boys.

Our stock of Confectionery, Candies, Plain and Ornamental Cakes, for wholesale or retail trade, will be found COMPLETE in EVERY RESPECT, and we WARRANT everything manufactured from the BEST material.

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

City Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment Roll of the City of Portland has been duly filed and will remain open at the Auditor's office until January 15, 1872, prior to which time all applications for correction of errors must be filed. Particular attention is directed to the following Section Ordinance No. 1113.

Section 3. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment, valuation, or listing of property may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same. Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation for city purposes, owned by, in the hands of, or under the control of the applicant and a concise statement of the particular item or items claimed to be erroneously assessed, which said application shall in all cases be verified by the oath or affirmation of the applicant, and must be filed with the Auditor before the first day of January following the date of the filing of the assessment roll.

The time named in said Section is extended to January 15, 1872.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.
Portland, Dec. 15, 1871. d30d

Ordinance No. 1118.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE EMPLOYment of an Hydraulic engineer and assistants.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. In order to provide for making examinations, surveys, plans and estimates to enable the Common Council to determine the best mode of supplying the city with water, the Committee on Fire and Water are hereby authorized and empowered to procure the services of a competent Hydraulic Engineer and assistants.

Passed the Common Council Dec. 13th, 1871.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Dec. 15, 1871.

PHILIP WASSERMAN, Mayor.
d16d5d

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PROCLAMATION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL come, greeting:—Having been in the Grocery Business in Portland about three years, we are now prepared to say that our REGULAR CUSTOMERS in that line will support us and purchase the stock to supply the State of Oregon with DULSE OF ANY AND ALL VARIETIES FREE OF CHARGE.

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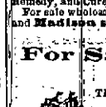

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Suites of Rooms for the accommodation of families.

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Free Coach to the Hotel from the Steamers and Railroad. o2dtf

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Transient, Room and Board, per day..... $2 00
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Permanent, Single Room and Board:
Per week..... $10 and upwards
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Suites of Rooms for Families in proportion.
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This being the only First Class Hotel in the city—being built of brick, with Bar and Billiard Rooms on the premises. Table and attendance unsurpassed on the Coast, and all the modern improvements—the subscriber trusts with the above combination of advantages to meet with a proportionate share of patronage from the citizens of Portland and the traveling public.

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R. P. EARHART, Prop'r.
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Markets.

NOTICE.

Franklin Market,

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HAVING THIS DAY BOUGHT THE ABOVE market of T. M. Arnold, together with all the Wagons, Horses and Fixtures, and the Good Will of the business, &c., I hope to receive the patronage of my old customers, and as many more as will call upon me.

PHILIP WYMAN.
Portland, Dec. 8th, 1871. d9d2w

HOGS WANTED.

I AM PAYING THE HIGHEST PRICE FOR HOGS for Packing purposes.

Packing House in the rear of the Pacific Market.

A. H. JOHNSON.
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SWAN ISLAND MARKET

MARCUS H. SPAULDING. MORTON H. SPAULDING.

SPAULDING BROTHERS,

RETAIL DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF

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Particular attention given to serving

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ALL KINDS OF MEAT

OF GOOD QUALITY at the

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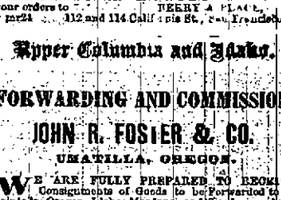

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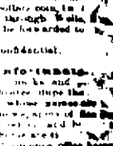

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